

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1, 3, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 18-20, and 22, and cancel claim 21 without prejudice or disclaimer of its subject matter, as follows:

1 1. (currently amended) An electron gun for a color cathode ray tube, the gun
2 comprising:
3 a cathode emitting an electron beam;
4 a control electrode having first hole regions, each one of the first hole regions including
5 a first vertically elongated indented portion formed at an output side surface of said control
6 electrode and including a first hole portion formed in the first indented portion, the electron
7 beam passing through said control electrode , the first hole portion having a shape selected from
8 among circular and elongated ;
B1 9 a screen electrode being installed adjacent to said control electrode, said screen electrode
10 having second hole regions; and
11 a plurality of focusing electrodes being sequentially installed from said screen electrode.

1 2. (original) The electron gun of claim 1, the first vertically elongated indented
2 portion being rectangular.

1 3. (currently amended) The electron gun of claim 2, the first hole portion having one

2 shape selected from among circular and vertically elongated, — the first hole portion with the
3 circular shape having vertical and horizontal widths equal to each other, the first hole portion
4 with the vertically elongated shape having a vertical width and a horizontal width with the
5 vertical width being greater than the horizontal width.

1 4. (original) The electron gun of claim 3, each one of the second hole regions
2 having one shape selected from among circular and vertically elongated .

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1 5. (original) The electron gun of claim 3, each one of the second hole regions
2 including a second indented portion formed at an output side surface of said screen electrode and
3 a second hole portion formed in the second indented portion, the electron beam passing through
4 the second hole portion.

1 6. (original) The electron gun of claim 5, the second indented portion having one
2 shape selected from among circular and vertically elongated.

1 7. (original) The electron gun of claim 6, the second hole portion having one
2 shape selected from among circular and vertically elongated, the circular second hole portion
3 having vertical and horizontal widths equal to each other, the vertically elongated second hole
4 portion having a vertical width greater than a horizontal width.

1 8. (currently amended) The electron gun of claim 2, the first hole portion with the
2 elongated shape corresponding to a first hole portion having a having one shape selected from
3 among circular and rectangular shape, the circular first hole portion having vertical and
4 horizontal widths equal to each other, the rectangular first hole portion having a vertical width
5 greater than a horizontal width.

1 9. (currently amended) The electron gun of claim 1, the first hole portion with the
2 elongated shape corresponding to a first hole portion having a having one shape selected from
3 among circular and rectangular shape, the circular first hole portion having vertical and
4 horizontal widths equal to each other, the rectangular first hole portion having a vertical width
5 greater than a horizontal width.

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1 10. (original) The electron gun of claim 1, each one of the second hole regions
2 having one shape selected from among circular and vertically elongated.

1 11. (currently amended) An electron gun for a color cathode ray tube, the gun
2 comprising:
3 a cathode emitting an electron beam;
4 a control electrode having first hole regions, each one of the first hole regions including
5 a first vertically elongated indented portion formed at an output side surface of said control
6 electrode and including a first hole portion formed in the first indented portion, the electron

7 beam passing through said control electrode ;
8 a screen electrode being installed adjacent to said control electrode, said screen electrode
9 having second hole regions; and
10 a plurality of focusing electrodes being sequentially installed from said screen electrode
11 ~~The electron gun of claim 1, each one of the second hole regions including a second indented~~
12 portion formed at an output side surface of said screen electrode and a second hole portion
13 formed in the second indented portion, the electron beam passing through the second hole
14 portion.

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1 12. (original) The electron gun of claim 11, the second hole portion having one
2 shape selected from among circular and vertically elongated, the circular second hole portion
3 having vertical and horizontal widths equal to each other, the vertically elongated second hole
4 portion having a vertical width greater than a horizontal width.

1 13. (currently amended) An electron gun for a color cathode ray tube, the gun
2 comprising:
3 a cathode emitting an electron beam;
4 a control electrode having first hole regions, each one of the first hole regions including
5 a first vertically elongated indented portion formed at an output side surface of said control
6 electrode and including a first hole portion formed in the first indented portion, the electron
7 beam passing through said control electrode, the first hole portion having one shape selected

8 from among circular, elongated , and square;

9 a screen electrode being installed adjacent to said control electrode, said screen electrode
10 having second hole regions; and

11 a plurality of focusing electrodes forming a plurality of quadrupole lenses, said focusing
12 electrodes being sequentially installed from said screen electrode and respectively forming
13 electron beam passing holes having a predetermined shape.

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14. (currently amended) An electron gun for a color cathode ray tube, the gun
comprising:

3 a cathode emitting an electron beam;

4 a control electrode having first hole regions, each one of the first hole regions including
5 a first vertically elongated indented portion formed at an output side surface of said control
6 electrode and including a first hole portion formed in the first indented portion, the electron
7 beam passing through said control electrode;

8 a screen electrode being installed adjacent to said control electrode, said screen electrode
9 having second hole regions; and

10 a plurality of focusing electrodes forming a plurality of quadrupole lenses, said focusing
11 electrodes being sequentially installed from said screen electrode and respectively forming
12 electron beam passing holes having a predetermined shape The electron gun of claim 13, said
13 focusing electrodes comprising:

14 first, second, and third focusing electrodes, respectively having electron beam passing

15 holes forming a predetermined shape;
16 a fourth focusing electrode being installed adjacent to said third focusing electrode, said
17 fourth focusing electrode forming a first quadrupole lens; and
18 a fifth focusing electrode being installed adjacent to said fourth focusing electrode, said
19 fifth focusing electrode forming a second quadrupole lens.

1 15. (original) The electron gun of claim 14, further comprising a final acceleration
2 electrode being installed adjacent to said fifth focusing electrode, said final acceleration
3 electrode forming a main lens.

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1 16. (original) The electron gun of claim 15, said third and fourth focusing
2 electrodes each having output side surfaces forming vertically elongated electron beam passing
3 holes, said fourth and fifth focusing electrodes each having input side surfaces forming
4 horizontally elongated electron beam passing holes, a constant voltage being applied to said
5 screen electrode and said second focusing electrode, a focusing voltage higher than the constant
6 voltage being applied to said first focusing electrode and said fourth focusing electrode, a
7 dynamic focusing voltage using the focusing voltage as a base voltage being applied to said third
8 and fifth focusing electrodes.

1 17. (original) The electron gun of claim 16, each one of the second hole regions
2 including a second indented portion formed at an output side surface of said screen electrode and

3 a second hole portion formed in the second indented portion, the electron beam passing through
4 the second hole portion.

1 18. (currently amended) An electron gun for a color cathode ray tube, the gun
2 comprising:
3 a cathode emitting an electron beam;
4 a control electrode having first hole regions, each one of the first hole regions including
5 a first vertically elongated indented portion formed at an output side surface of said control
6 electrode and including a first hole portion formed in the first indented portion, the electron
7 beam passing through said control electrode ~~The electron gun of claim 1, the first hole portion~~
having one shape selected from among circular, vertically elongated, and square;
9 a screen electrode being installed adjacent to said control electrode, said screen electrode
10 having second hole regions; and
11 a plurality of focusing electrodes being sequentially installed from said screen electrode.

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1 19. (currently amended) An electron gun for a color cathode ray tube, the gun
2 comprising:
3 a cathode emitting an electron beam;
4 a control electrode having first hole regions, each one of the first hole regions including
5 a first elongated indented portion formed at an output side surface of said control electrode and
6 including a first hole portion formed in the first indented portion, the electron beam passing

7 through said control electrode;

8 a screen electrode being installed adjacent to said control electrode, said screen electrode
9 having second hole regions; and
10 a first plurality of focusing electrodes forming a plurality of quadrupole lenses, said first
11 plurality of focusing electrodes being sequentially installed from said screen electrode and
12 respectively forming electron beam passing holes , said first plurality of focusing electrodes
13 comprising:

14 a second plurality of focusing electrodes, respectively having electron beam
15 passing holes;

16 an additional focusing electrode being installed adjacent to said second plurality
17 of focusing electrodes, said additional focusing electrode forming a first quadrupole lens;
18 and

19 a next focusing electrode being installed adjacent to said additional focusing
20 electrode, said next focusing electrode forming a second quadrupole lens ~~The electron~~
21 ~~gun of claim 13, the first hole portion having one shape selected from among circular,~~
22 ~~vertically elongated, and square.~~

1 20. (currently amended) An apparatus emitting electron beams, the apparatus
2 comprising:

3 at least two cathodes emitting electron beams, said at least two cathodes being arranged
4 substantially in a horizontal line; and

5 a control electrode having first hole regions, each one of the first hole regions including
6 a first vertically elongated indented portion formed at an output side surface of said control
7 electrode and including a first hole portion formed in the first indented portion, at least one of
8 the electron beams passing through said control electrode, the first hole portion having one shape
9 selected from among circular, elongated, and square.

1 21. (canceled)

1 22. (currently amended) An apparatus emitting electron beams, the apparatus
2 comprising:

3 at least two cathodes emitting electron beams, said at least two cathodes being arranged
4 substantially in a horizontal line;

5 a control electrode having first hole regions, each one of the first hole regions including
6 a first vertically elongated indented portion formed at an output side surface of said control
7 electrode and including a first hole portion formed in the first indented portion, at least one of
8 the electron beams passing through said control electrode; and ~~The apparatus of claim 20, further~~
9 comprising:

10 a screen electrode being installed adjacent to said control electrode, said screen electrode
11 having second hole regions, each one of the second hole regions including a second indented
12 portion formed at an output side surface of said screen electrode and a second hole portion
13 formed in the second indented portion, at least one of the electron beams passing through the

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